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## U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY EERE PROJECT MANAGEMENT CENTER NEPA DETERMINATION



RECIPIENT: Sun Grant Association / IlioCo

STATE: DC

**PROJECT** 

TITLE:

Regional Feedstock Partnership

Funding Opportunity Announcement Number

Procurement Instrument Number NEPA Control Number CID Number

GFO-07-135-075

Based on my review of the information concerning the proposed action, as NEPA Compliance Officer (authorized under DOE Order 451.1A), I have made the following determination:

## CX, EA, EIS APPENDIX AND NUMBER:

Description:

A9 Information gathering (including, but not limited to, literature surveys, inventories, audits), data analysis (including computer modeling), document preparation (such as conceptual design or feasibility studies, analytical energy supply and demand studies), and dissemination (including, but not limited to, document mailings, publication, and distribution; and classroom training and informational programs), but not including site characterization or environmental monitoring.

## Rational for determination:

Funds from DOE will be used to support Regional Feedstock Partnership (RFP) in the coordination of the Sun Grant Initiative leadership in RFP teams. Funds will be used to support planning and program development, coordination, communication and outreach to the broader university community, and coordination and outreach to public and private stakeholders about the RFP. All work associated with this project will be done indoors on personal computers and via telephonic meetings, thus presenting no additional environmental risks.

This project comprises information gathering and coordination and can therefore be classified under CX A9.

## NEPA PROVISION Note to Specialist:

None Given.

SIGNATURE OF THIS MEMORANDUM CONSTITUTES A RECORD OF TH	HIS DECISION.
NEPA Compliance Officer Signature:  NEPA Compliance Officer	Date: 3/29/40
FIELD OFFICE MANAGER DETERMINATION	
☐ Field Office Manager review required	
NCO REQUESTS THE FIELD OFFICE MANAGER REVIEW FOR THE FOLLOWING REASON:	
<ul> <li>□ Proposed action fits within a categorical exclusion but involves a high profile or controversial issue that warrants Field Office Manager's attention.</li> <li>□ Proposed action falls within an EA or EIS category and therefore requires Field Office Manager's review and determination.</li> </ul>	
BASED ON MY REVIEW I CONCUR WITH THE DETERMINATION OF TH	IE NCO:
Field Office Manager's Signature:	Date:

Field Office Manager